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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:     Andreas Lindinger et al.  
Serial Number:            Unassigned  
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Group Art:                 Unassigned  
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Title:                     **ARRANGEMENT COMPRISING AN INTEGRATED  
CIRCUIT**

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Dear Sir or Madam:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the initial review of this national stage application referenced above by Andreas Lindinger et al. entitled "**ARRANGEMENT COMPRISING AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT**" filed September 22, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.